

VeriFone Holdings, Inc.  
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**STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES**

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(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person \*  
**ZWARENSTEIN BARRY**

(Last) (First) (Middle)

**VERIFONE HOLDINGS, INC., 2099 GATEWAY PLACE, SUITE 600**

(Street)

**SAN JOSE, CA 95110**

(City) (State) (Zip)

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol  
**VeriFone Holdings, Inc. [PAY]**

3. Date of Earliest Transaction  
(Month/Day/Year)  
**12/12/2006**

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer

(Check all applicable)

Director  10% Owner  
 Officer (give title below)  Other (specify below)  
**Executive VP and CFO**

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line)  
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**Table I - Non-Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**

1. Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)	
				(A) or (D)	Price			
				Code	V	Amount		
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006		M	4,000	A	\$ 10	4,000	D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>	300	D	\$ 36.86	3,700	D
	12/12/2006		S <sup>(1)</sup>	200	D	\$ 36.95	3,500	D

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share								
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 36.96	3,200		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 36.965	3,000		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 36.98	2,700		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 36.99	2,500		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 37	2,300		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 37.05	2,000		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	300	D	\$ 37.06	1,700		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 37.08	1,500		D
	12/12/2006	<u>S(1)</u>	200	D	\$ 37.12	1,300		D

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Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share								
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	200	D	\$ 37.15	1,100		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	200	D	\$ 37.16	900		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	100	D	\$ 37.35	800		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	100	D	\$ 37.36	700		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	200	D	\$ 37.41	500		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	100	D	\$ 37.42	400		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	100	D	\$ 37.44	300		D
Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	12/12/2006	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	100	D	\$ 37.47	200		D
	12/12/2006	<u>S<sup>(1)</sup></u>	200	D	\$ 37.57	0		D

Common  
Stock, par  
value  
\$0.01 per  
share

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**Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned**  
(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transaction Code (Instr. 8)	5. Number of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)	6. Date Exercisable and Expiration Date (Month/Day/Year)	7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)	8. Amount or Number of Shares
Employee Stock Option (right to buy)	\$ 10	12/12/2006		M	4,000	(2) 04/29/2012	Common Stock, par value \$0.01 per share	4,000

## Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships			
	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other
ZWARENSTEIN BARRY VERIFONE HOLDINGS, INC. 2099 GATEWAY PLACE, SUITE 600 SAN JOSE, CA 95110			Executive VP and CFO	

## Signatures

/s/ Janelle Del Rosso, by Power of Attorney  
12/13/2006

\_\_Signature of Reporting Person

Date

## Explanation of Responses:

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, *see* Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. *See* 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) The sale was effected by Mr. Zwarenstein pursuant to a Rule 10b5-1 sales plan effective as of December 10, 2006.
- (2) 25% of this stock option became exercisable on May 1, 2006. The remaining portion of this stock option will vest pro rata quarterly over the three years thereafter.

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